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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: A8508

John M. GARTH, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/082,327

Group Art Unit: 2168

Confirmation No.: 3782

Examiner: Greta Lee Robinson

Filed: February 26, 2002

For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PREDICTING EXECUTION TIME OF A DATABASE
UTILITY COMMAND

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 5, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows on the accompanying pages.

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A check for the statutory fee of \$200.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

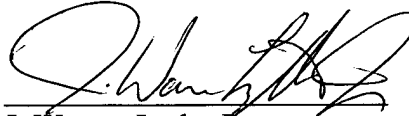
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